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Ms. Magalie R. Salas
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 Twelfth Street, S.W.
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**Ex Parte: Deployment of Wireline Services Offering Advanced Telecommunications
Capability – CC Docket No. 98-147**

Dear Ms. Salas,

On Tuesday, September 26, 2000, Don Evans, Susanne Guyer, and Ed Shakin, representing Verizon, met with Dorothy Attwood, Michelle Carey, Glen Reynolds, Kathy Farroba, Margaret Egler, Bill Dever, and Bill Kehoe of the Common Carrier Bureau. We discussed questions regarding the order addressing collocation requirements in the above proceeding. Material discussed at the meeting is attached.

Pursuant to Section 1.1206(a)(1) of the Commission's rules, and original and one copy of this letter are being submitted to the Office of the Secretary. Please associate this notification with the record in the proceeding indicated above.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please call me at (202) 463-5293.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "W. Scott Randolph".

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cc: Dorothy Attwood
Michelle Carey
Glen Reynolds
Kathy Farroba
Margaret Egler
Bill Dever
Bill Kehoe

COLLOCATION PROVISIONING INTERVALS

90 Calendar Day Physical Collocation Provisioning Interval

- ***Insufficient Time***
- ***No State Approved 90 Calendar Day Overall Interval For All Types of Collocation Arrangements***
- ***States That Have Set Intervals Allow For Spikes in Demand, Forecasting and Special Construction***
- ***Unconditioned Space Requires Longer Intervals***



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Texas Intervals Include Provisions For:

- ***Additional Time Based On Power Requirements***
- ***Different Timelines For Active vs. Inactive Space***
- ***Different Price Quote Intervals Based on Demand***
- ***Intervals Are Extended Based on Spikes In Demand***
- ***Interval Starts After CLEC Accepts Quote***

New York Intervals Include Provisions For:

- ***CLECs Required to Regularly Forecast Collocation Demand***
- ***Request for Collocation Inconsistent with Forecast
can Add up to 3 Months***
- ***Includes Stop Clock For CLEC Delays***
- ***15 Additional Business Days For Conditioning***
- ***Spikes In Demand Trigger Negotiated Intervals***



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US West Intervals Include Provisions For:

- ***Additional Power Requirements Add Up To 180 Days***
- ***Different Timelines For Active vs. Inactive Space***
- ***Application Processing and Price Quote Intervals***
- ***Interval Starts After CLEC Accepts Quote***

PA Intervals Include Provisions For:

- ***CLECs Required to Regularly Forecast Collocation Demand***
- ***Request for Collocation Inconsistent with Forecast
can Add up to 3 Months***
- ***Includes Stop Clock For CLEC Delays***
- ***15 Additional Business Days For Conditioning***
- ***Spikes In Demand Trigger Negotiated Intervals***

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